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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE

In re Application of
Ryoji Kaneko

App. No.: 10/709971
Filed: 6/10/2004
Conf. No.: 3970
Title: BRUSH TYPE DC ELECTRIC MACHINE
Examiner: E. Preston
Art Unit: 2834
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Arlington, VA 22313-1450

EIGHTH FOLLOW UP STATUS LETTER

Dear Sir:

This is to again follow up on the unanswered petition filed electronically on September 4, 2006 and the unanswered Status Letters, dated, September 9, 2006; October 4, 1006; November 3, 2006; December 20, 2006; March 3, 2007, April 3, 2007, May 20, 2007 and July 24, 2007. Please advise when the petition filed more than a year ago will be acted upon. Absent a reply now, applicant being a citizen of a foreign country and with the undersigned's hope this will be unnecessary, he will be left with no alternative to call this matter to the attention of the State Department.

Respectfully submitted:



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